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**RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action dated June 10, 2004, having a shortened statutory period expiring on September 10, 2004. Accompanying this response is a petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 for a 2 month extension of time, setting a new time for response to November 10, 2004. Further examination and reconsideration are respectfully requested in view of the amendments and remarks set forth below.

No Amendments to the Specification are presented in this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 3 of this paper.**

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page **4** of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page **9** of this paper.